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LOCAL JOTTINGS

BORN—To Mr and Mrs M. May, Monday, October 1st, a daughter

Mr Lazerte, School Inspector, was a visitor here last week.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet at Mrs F. R. Lilly's Tuesday, October 9th.

Mr Cope is back in the Municipality office again.

Harvest thanksgiving services will be held at the Methodist Church on Sunday next.

Don't forget to be at the Stock Social in the Opera House, on Thanksgiving night, Monday, October 8th.

Monday next being Thanksgiving Day—a public holiday—all business places in town will be closed.

A number of Strathmore devotees of the terepsichorean art, attended a dance at Nightingale on Friday.

The position of Town Clerk is now vacant, G. H. Hill having decided to go to Carlsbad, where he will open up a hardware store.

The harvest thanksgiving services at the Anglican Church on Sunday were of a bright and hearty character and were well attended.

A Maxwell car from the City got "slightly bent" last week whilst trying to negotiate the culvert on the other side of the track.

Miss Olga Odland, of the Strathmore Trading Co.'s staff, has severed her connection with that firm, having decided "to go back on the farm, with her milk-pail on her arm."

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It is rumored that the positions of Town Clerk and School Secretary will soon be vacant. The present holder of these offices G. H. Hill, having decided to seek pastures new.

At the Alberta Medical Board held in Calgary last week, Dr A. W. Girvin was elected a member of the Finance Committee.

Train Service Changes

The local train service changed on Sunday. The westbound leaves Strathmore at 16.26, arrive Calgary 17.55. Eastbound arrives Strathmore 16.26.

The Strathmore Trading Co.'s Sale continues until the 15th of the month. Bargains galore are offered for every Department. You will be wise if you take advantage of this sale now.

Mr H. W. Freeman, who has been living at Gleichen for the past six months, returned to Strathmore last week.

PIANO AND VOICE PRODUCTION

Mrs. Brophy, of Boston, Mass., will visit Strathmore every Friday and Saturday. Arrangements for lessons can be made at Strathmore Hardware Co., phone 44, or at Studio, 221 Underwood Block, Calgary. During the last two years Mrs. Brophy has been in Boston teaching special courses in Voice and Piano Production.

Town Council

A meeting of the Town Council was held on Tuesday, there being present Mayor Lambert, Councillors Butler, Miller and Girvin, the Secretary, G. H. Hill, and the Solicitor T. M. Wears.

The minutes of the previous meeting, were read and adopted. Several letters were read and ordered filed.

A letter was read from the CPR regarding the Park. This was laid over until the next meeting and the Secretary was instructed to look up the various documents and agree to them in connection with same.

The Secretary, at this juncture, tendered his resignation, which was accepted, on the motion of Councillors Butler and Girvin. Regret was expressed by the Council at losing their Secretary, who has carried out his duties in a very faithful way, and those present wished him every success in his new undertaking.

It was decided to have a special Council meeting on Tuesday, October 9th, and to advertise for applications for the position.

The following accounts were read: W. Dawkins, \$2.50; Fire Department, \$13; A. W. Girvin, \$18; B. Miller, \$2.15; Strathmore Standard, \$107.40; W. E. Brown, \$4.55. These were referred to the Finance Committee for approval.

The matter of instituting a curfew whereby children up to a certain age would have to be indoors at a certain time, was brought up and left over until the next meeting.

The meeting then adjourned.

A Great Hit

The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal certainly made a popular hit when they issued their new war map of the European fighting area. It is said they are overwhelmed with orders. The map is not for sale at any price, but is given free to all who pay a year's subscription to that great paper. The price for the full year is \$1.25, map included. It is wonderful value, and it is no wonder they are securing thousands of new readers. Renewals also, many months ahead, are being sent in order to get the map now. The map is very complete, and alone well worth the price asked for both paper and map.

Namaka Notes

Mr W. W. Winspear made a flying trip to Calgary on Friday last.

In response to a special appeal for funds to fill Christmas Stockings for the boys in hospital overseas, \$50 was contributed by the Namaka Branch of the Red Cross Society.

The U.F.W.A. met at the home of Mrs George Peterson on Saturday.

Mrs Bell, Miss E. G. Bell and Mr H. Shouldice were visitors to Calgary during the week.

On Friday evening last a surprise party was given Harry Shouldice. The company, numbering about forty, spent a very pleasant time. Dancing was carried on till after 3 a.m., the music being supplied by Messrs W. McKinnon, A. Gibson, J. P. Lawrie and C. Thomson.

Mrs H. Wooster and family spent part of the week in Calgary.

Special Rally Day service was held in the Methodist Church on Sunday. Miss Ruth Sim was accompanist. The collection amounted to \$16.70.

Boost for Strathmore

Let's Have a Talk About Prices

Open your "Eaton" Catalogue on page 398. We will begin with the beginning at the left hand corner on top. There's a Waltham Wrist Watch at \$25.00.

We sell same watch at \$22. On page 209 at the center you will find "an Elgin at a low price" which is quoted at \$7.25.

Our price on the watch \$6.75. They quote some Ladies' Watches on the top of same page. Their lowest price on a solid gold watch is \$24.00.

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CANADA'S PART IN GREAT WAR

SOME FEEL WE CAN UNDERSTOOD

IMMORTAL DEEDS OF HEROISM YET TO BE TOLD

Saving Calais in the Battle of Ypres and Capturing Vimy Ridge Are Two of the Outstanding Achievements Credited to Canadians in the History of the Great Conflict

Probably it will be news to many, as it was to me, how a Canadian division held the German army from a breakthrough in the battle of Ypres. The news then, I am convinced that I got among people who preserved every detail I did not forget.

With the import of the captured guns printed at the time, the *W. N. Morgan* in the *Hutchinson* Sun-News.

It was at Ypres, a Canadian division was at the front on the right of a division of French, British, Belgians from Northern Africa, good soldiers, not always to the white man's methods. It was the first time the Germans used the gas, which was poisonous and killed by its weight and then death. The Germans waited for the night, and then they sent the clouds of gas onto the trenches. They did not understand it. They felt the embraces of the suffocating and painful vapor they thought of as demons or evil spirits. They worked and they ran. They did not stop running for fear of the gas, in spite of the hard measures taken by their white allies to stop their rout.

Then the gas reached a part of the Canadians. If they had not been there, the soldiers might have retreated. They did not. They stood firm, broke around them where the trenches had been, as soon as the gas was dispersed. At Ypres, the Canadians were placed at the front and held their ground with shrapnel and German shells. They were charged, they were killed. They held that broken line not for hours, but for two days.

But they had held the line. The relief reserve reached their side. The Canadians were not to be broken. If they had not done so, the Germans would have won.

When the Canadians advanced this morning and captured the town, they did what the Germans thought was impossible. They had planned on the entire battle in advance. At 5:30 the barrage fire was centered on a certain spot. At 6:00 the machine gun was lifted and the infantry moved forward. At 6:10 the artillery renewed, the guns aimed over their heads and only a few shells were fired. At 6:30 forward the infantry moved forward. The machine gun was lifted and the final objective was fixed to be reached at 7:30.

Before that time the advanced infantry telephoned back to the artillery that they were ready and to stop the cannon, and they reached their objective in five minutes or less.

That does not sound hard, but before they made the time table the Canadians had planned the battle. They described every trench and tree and rock located every German cannon and machine gun. They knew the exact range of every wall and barbed wire, and they knew the fire could clear the way.

The infantry knew every object which would hinder them or help them, and just where the enemy would fire when the attack was to let the charge proceed.

The battle of Vimy Ridge was one of the clearest signs of the war, and it was fought by the Canadians. It was the first time that the British and the Canadian army and the interlocking work of artillery and infantry were so perfect, not as great as at the Somme, or as might have been at Ypres.

War is a very complicated game in these days of science and knowledge. Infantry is efficient in the trenches, the mark is by the telephone. The observation balloon. Ammunition is as great a problem as men. The trench is as necessary as the rifle.

For every man who stands in the trench or is ready to make a charge, there must be one man behind him. The line making ammunition, repairing it, the trench digging, the drawing maps, taking care of the wounded, repairing the telephone, the necessary work preliminary to the actual fighting. It is all the work of the army.

The organizer, the executive and the leader, as is required in every business of the soldier. The immensity of such an army, the millions of men, the millions of miles in Canada and the millions of miles in the trenches, is almost beyond human comprehension.

The sacrifice of the Poor

"Among the British poor," says Lloyd Northcliffe, who has reported soldiers' wages in their lives there, there is no one who is not a soldier. I am an Irishman from personal interest and that I am a great war.

There is nobody out of the ranks in England; the common soldiers are as much as \$75 a week. The soldier is as well as seen in peace and munition drive of a dot more than in war, in peace time than to a British village in war time.

A Disgruntled Lot

"The just ruler," discharged, said the soldier. "I'm going to strike," said the clerk with a smile.

"I'm working too much," groaned a leg of iron that was a soldier.

"I'm tired too," said the wheel of a car that was a soldier.

"The only thing that seemed to be enjoying itself was the garden hose that was a soldier."

Submarine Losses

Estimating the Losses by the Average Tonnage of Each Vessel

The engineering supplement of the *London Times* has thrown a flood of light upon the losses of the British merchant marine through submarine action. The writer has a cake to make for increased pressure on construction and it may be taken for granted that he does not undertake his task.

His figures as to the total loss of tonnage by Great Britain, and as to the number of vessels lost, are as follows: The rate at which Great Britain is losing tonnage now, depend absolutely on the average tonnage of the vessels sunk being 3,776 tons. How does he arrive at this average? He takes the number of vessels sunk in April 1915, and divides this by the tonnage lost in those months as stated by Lloyd George.

By an odd coincidence on the same day as these calculations were published, the *Edinburgh* referred to the British present rate of loss as being 3,776 tons per vessel.

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Thomas A. Edison

The Wizard of Menlo Park and His Career

"Stuff! I tell you genius is hard work, stick-to-it-iveness and common sense."

This short and terse statement of Thomas A. Edison, the Wizard of Menlo Park, sums up his successful career. But his versatile and brilliant inventor should have added genius, indefatigable energy, tireless perseverance and discovery and exhibits in the concentration of mind and love of learning.

Thomas A. Edison was born at Milan, O., in 1847, but when he was seven years of age his family moved to Port Huron, Mich., where he passed his boyhood. Edison spent but three months in the public schools, but received a thorough schooling at his mother's knee. Before he reached the age of twelve he had read Gibbon's "Rome," Hume's "History of England," Scott's "History of the World" and the "Dictionary of the Sciences."

The most important of Edison's inventions is the electric incandescent lamp, which was publicly exhibited in 1880. The new lamp proved an immediate success.

Like Faraday, Edison was a new-born inventor. He was a man who never knew the pangs of hunger in his early youth. They came later, and they came in the great city of New York.

When he was ten years old Edison constructed his first laboratory in a shed behind his father's store on Michigan, and began experimenting with a crude chemical outfit. To obtain funds for his experiments, he sold newspapers on the Grand Trunk Railroad.

The lure of the laboratory kept Edison's mind on experiments. He had no time for school. During the two daily runs, Edison arranged his quarters, which he equipped with an extraordinary array of apparatus.

This laboratory on wheels was the cause of much trouble. It was a small boat, and it was a great deal of trouble to keep it from being blown away by the wind. One day a violent hurricane struck the boat, and it was blown away from the shore, where it was burning in flames. The timely arrival of a large tugboat saved the boat from complete destruction, and Edison's laboratory was put off at the next morning.

Edison continued his research while he was in the study of electricity and after a short time he became a brilliant operator. He had no time for school. During the two daily runs, Edison arranged his quarters, which he equipped with an extraordinary array of apparatus.

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Fleet Makes Short Trips

Kaiser's Sailors Told That America Is Preparing Against Japan

The German fleet according to an article in the *Associated Press* which recently had been at Wilhelmshaven, justifies its name of high seas fleet by running out from Wilhelmshaven with considerable regularity. It is said that the fleet has been out on the sea for two or three times a week. The fleet only makes short trips, however, and never goes very far out to sea.

The high seas fleet usually leaves Wilhelmshaven in the evening and returns by early dinner time between 11 o'clock and noon on the following day. On a few occasions it has been out longer, but only because thick weather set in, making a passage through the German mine fields dangerous and forcing it to remain in the shelter of Heligoland until the weather cleared.

A greater part of the time the battleships and cruisers, comprising the battle fleet, are anchored in secure behind mine fields and nets and are engaged in picking up the entrance to the base. Once in March the fleet made a considerable period of enforced repose, when British mine fields were laid out in the North Sea, and the German fleet was forced to remain in the shelter of Heligoland until the weather cleared.

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Military Power Is Overthrown

Proposals of the Pope, is the Conclusion Reached by All the Allies, and is Ultimatum to the German People

Kaiserism blocks the road to peace. So long as the Hohenzollern holds autocratic sway in Germany the war must go on until the military power of Prussia is overthrown. This is the emphatic stand taken by President Wilson in reply to the peace proposals of the pope. It is the conclusion reached by all the Allies, for whom the president may be presumed on this occasion to speak. Kaiserism or Democracy? This is the ultimatum to the German people. Until they answer it to the satisfaction of the Allies the western front will continue to be the vital theatre of the war. If Germany will win peace through democracy the Hohenzollerns will go. They will not go until they are driven out. This is the only kind of logic which the international judgment has been pronounced by the civilized world. The word by the sword is most perish.

Not since the days of Gladstone's work and preparation against the speakable Turk has a ruling overlord been so utterly and so unanswerable indictment as that contained in President Wilson's ultimatum of the conduct of the kaiser and his advisers in this war.

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Favorite Hand Grenade

Trench Weapon of Allies No Bigger Than a Large Lemon

The most important weapon of the trench war is the hand grenade. It is a small, round, lemon-shaped object, weighing one pound six ounces. It is used by the Allies in the trenches. It is a very effective weapon. It is a very important weapon. It is a very useful weapon. It is a very valuable weapon. It is a very precious weapon. It is a very rare weapon. It is a very special weapon. It is a very unique weapon. It is a very extraordinary weapon. It is a very

MILLINERY FOR THOSE IN MOURNING



Becoming Bonnet for the Widow

SO LONG as women are at variance regarding the custom of mourning there will always be a certain number interested in the subject and on the lookout for proper and becoming apparel for the mourning period. There is no reason why the all-black or the black-and-white costume should not be as smart and well chosen as the clothing selected for gay festivities. Certainly there is plenty of models from which to choose. In the matter of millinery and neckwear the models shown are proof of this statement.

Particularly charming for the widow are the two bonnets shown. The one with the white poke brim is an exquisite example of fine handwork. The white is English crepe, and folds of this material form a trimming for the brim, which is inclined to poke just a little at the front. Over the white a long, narrow veil of black grenadine is artistically draped. Hemstitching and the broad hem give a pleasing finish to the veil. One must have remarkably good features and complexion to wear a black blouse without a touch of white somewhere. If one is not so blessed, the introduction of the tucked crepe vest will be a helpful suggestion.

Who knows but that the turban model was inspired by the Red Cross cap? At any rate, it has lines that are sure to deal kindly with the widow, be she of mentionable or unmentionable age. Folds of English crepe have been cleverly used to make the oval ornament surrounded by a heavy rope of jet beads. Circles of the bead rope and dull black ribbon are used at the side. In this instance, the veil is of black crepe.

Suitable headgear for the young unmarried woman in mourning for a parent, sister or brother, is the hat with a face veil draped over it. For such purpose the veil is always bound with a broad border of black crepe. The hat follows out the fall tendency for high crowns. The manner in which the folds of crepe are braided to trim is an interesting feature.

On the other high-crowned turban a band of dull jet beads is used very effectively. A solid square of jet marks the center front. The hat itself is of black crepe de chine. Black chiffon over whiteorgette fashions the dainty collar.

Quite an unusual shape is the one terminating in a point at the extreme top. The vogue for soutache braid has invaded mourning millinery, as exemplified. Grosgrain ribbon pleated encircles the jet button.



Dull Jet Beads Used Effectively



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Our Birthday

With this issue we celebrate our ninth birthday and the present management (on behalf of the Proprietor) Serg. Mackenzie takes this opportunity of thanking all our advertisers, job printing customers and subscribers, for their generous support during the past year.

Although the country is at present passing through a time of grave danger and anxiety, there is a silver lining to every cloud, and on the horizon the dawn is breaking and we faintly perceive the beginning of the end. During these times it is up to us to take on fresh courage, to work hand in hand with determination and grit. We trust that before our next birthday comes, the world will be at peace—a peace that will be lasting—and the weapons of war for ever laid aside.

Successful Concert at Crowfoot

A very successful concert was given in Crowfoot Schoolhouse on Friday last. Rev. Geo. Hopkins took the chair and gave a bright interesting speech explaining the objects of the evening.

Those who took part in the programme were as follows—Mr. J. J. Lewis, Mr. H. Scher, Mr. and Mrs. Buckfield, Mr. D. England, Mr. A. England, Mr. F. England, Miss M. England, Miss H. England, Miss Walsh, Mr. C. Harvey, Miss Harvey Mr. Stanforth, and the school children.

After the concert an auction sale was held of a number of articles made and fancy, donated by the following firms and friends: Messrs. Gatenby and Fisher, M. B. Garrett, C. Christiansen, Strathmore, D. E. Black and Co., F. Osborne, Royal Crown Soap Co., Hudson's Bay Co., McGill and Co., Calgary; T. Eaton and Co., and Simpson and

Co.; Miss Harvey, Miss Samuella Scher, Miss England, Mr. Fred Wegener, Mrs. S. Garriott. Following the auction a "pie social" was held.

The sum of about \$200 was realized and after some small expenses are met, will be devoted—half to provide parcels for 'Prisoners of War' and half to add to the Teahouse.

Miss Margaret Walsh (teacher) wishes to thank all those who so kindly helped to make the evening such a success.

Business Men Are Interested

Employers Have Been Quick to See Practical Advantage of Military Service Act.

Ottawa, Sept.—Canadian business men express themselves highly pleased with the provision by the Military Service Act of Medical Boards for the early medical examination of men liable to be drafted under the Military Service Act. This introduction of system and order into the method of rating men for military service has commended itself to the business community throughout the country, according to all reports received here.

Heavy promises of cooperation in having an early report made by all men in the various classes are also coming to hand, and this co-

operation promises to simplify the working of the Act. The vast majority of men in the various classes can be reached through the business houses where they are employed, so far as the cities are concerned at least. A new force getting behind the Act is the business instinct of employers who, under the volunteering system, have had some unsatisfactory experiences through the haphazard dropping off of their employees.

All the Military Service Act really does is to get the country's military system down to a business basis as well as to make it more democratic and satisfactory in every particular.

Baby Beef Competition for Boys and Girls

The Alberta Winter Fair which will be held in Calgary, Dec. 11th to 14th, 1917, has a Baby Beef Competition for boys and girls. \$1785 in cash and trophies (the largest amount of money offered for a single competition for boys and girls on this continent) thanks to the generous co-operation of stockmen in the Province. This competition is open to boys and girls, residents of Alberta, over nine and under 17 years of age. D. E. Black, Jewelers, of Calgary, are offering a Grand Challenge Shield, value \$50 for the best steer or heifer shown in this competition. Entry forms and prize list may be obtained from E. L. Richardson, Secretary Live Stock Association, Victoria Park, Calgary.

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**OPENING OF
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The Provincial Agricultural School, Claresholm, will re-open Tuesday, October 30th, 1917.

Courses are offered in Practical Agriculture and Household Science.

No entrance examination is required. The Course is absolutely free.

The minimum age for admission for boys is fifteen, and for girls sixteen.

Prospective students should apply at once.

For calendar and further particulars, communicate with Honorable Dr. J. H. Marshall, Minister of Agriculture, Edmonton, or to W. J. Stephen, B.A., B.S.A., Principal, School of Agriculture, Claresholm.

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Military Service Act, 1917 Explanatory Announcement by the Minister of Justice

THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT has received the assent of the Governor-General and is now part of the law of the land. It will be enforced immediately, and the provisions and good sense of the people can be relied upon to support it. Resistance to its enforcement, however, by word or act must not be resorted to, as resistance to any such law is a crime under the law.

Exemption Tribunals in all parts of Canada

The local exemption tribunals will be constituted with the least delay possible, consistent with the selection of representative individuals to compose them, and the instructions to the members of these tribunals. There will be more than one thousand of such tribunals throughout Canada, each consisting of two members, one of whom will be nominated by a Justices of the Peace, and the other by one of the Judges of the District Court. Every effort will be made by the wide distribution of tribunals, and by providing where necessary for their sitting in more than one place, to minimize the inconvenience to which men will be put in obtaining the disposition of their cases.

A Registrar will be appointed in each Province, who will be named in the proclamation and to whom inquiries may be addressed. Each Provincial Registrar will transmit to the appropriate tribunal the applications for exemption which have been submitted in advance of the sitting, and men who have sent them in will not be required to attend the tribunals until notified to do so. Other applicants should attend personally on the tribunal without notice.

How to report for service

Men who do not desire to lose exemption will report to the military authorities for service either by mail or in person at any time after the issue of the proclamation. Forms of report by mail will be found in all local offices, and the applications for exemption, will be transmitted free of postage.

Early report advantageous

No man who reports for service will, although he may be medically examined and passed as fit, be required to go into camp or join a battalion until after a day fixed by the proclamation sufficiently late to permit of the disposition by the local tribunals of any, if not all, of the applications for exemption which may come before them. Thus no advantage will be gained by delaying or disadvantages incurred by prompt report for service on the part of those who do not intend to apply for exemption.

Facilities for immediate medical examination

Immediately upon the issue of the proclamation, medical boards will sit at every medical centre for the examination of men who report for service or who, subject to their right within the time limited to apply for exemption, desire to have their physical condition examined. It is to be noted that any doubt as to the physical condition, or to know definitely and in advance whether they are fit for service, will be removed by the examination. Certificates of physical unfitness issued by these Medical Boards will be accepted without any further investigation by exemption tribunals when they sit. Men found physically fit who have not reported for service may nevertheless apply for exemption on any of the prescribed grounds, including even their physical condition if identified with the Medical Board's conclusion.

Notice to join the colors

As exemptions are required, notice to report to the nearest mobilization centre will be given from time to time. Men who are liable and passed as fit for service. Disobedience of such notice will render the offender liable for punishment. Men who are not liable to military service, or to report subsequently for duty when called upon, will be imposed penalties by the military authorities. Men who are not liable to military service for the performance of their military duties notwithstanding any civil punishment which may be imposed and will be liable to military punishment in cases in which civil proceedings are not taken.

Watch for the Proclamation

Notice of the day appointed for the making of a claim for exemption or for report for military service will be published as widely as possible, but, as no person liable to military service will be liable to punishment unless he has reported himself or claimed exemption, men possibly concerned are urged to keep themselves well informed with regard to the day fixed, men neglect may involve the loss of them of important privileges and rights.

CHAS. J. DOHERTY, Minister of Justice.

October, September 14, 1917.

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When ordering goods by mail, send a Money Order or Cash.

Open Canadian War Exhibit
Pictures of Dominion Soldiers in Action as Taken in London

General Turner, Sir E. W. Turner, V.C., commanding the Canadian forces in the British Expeditionary Force, recently at the Gallies exhibition of the second exhibition of Canadian official war photographs.

The exhibition consists of a large number of pictures, portraying the capture of Vim Ridge by the Canadians on April 8, and one of the attack on the Gallies exhibition of the second exhibition of Canadian official war photographs.

Describing the large photographs, General Turner said that the pictures taken on Easter Monday, when four Canadian divisions were over the parapet in the battle of Vim Ridge, were the most important of the war.

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Silent About U-Boats

Tells What Happens to the German Submarines

The British admiralty, in agreement with the naval authorities of the United States, has issued a statement that it is impossible to tell the public what happens to the German submarines. The statement is a result of the fact that the British admiralty is not allowed to disclose the names of the submarines, and the names of the crews, and the names of the commanders.

An illustration (referred to) Archibald Hurd, in Cassell's Magazine, shows a German submarine on the surface, and a British submarine on the surface. The illustration shows a German submarine on the surface, and a British submarine on the surface.

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Children Starving

Pitiable Plight of Little Ones in Syria and Palestine

More than 50,000 children under 12 years of age are starving in Syria and Palestine. The children are starving, and they are dying. The children are starving, and they are dying.

Amenicans Advised

To Make March

German Methods Must Be Used to Save Surplus of Bumper Crop

Uncle Sam has been forced to use the German methods of surplus disposal. The German methods of surplus disposal are being used by Uncle Sam. The German methods of surplus disposal are being used by Uncle Sam.

The Prophet Is Vague

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The "Obtinate Nation"

What Britain Has Done to Save the Liberties of Europe

What saved the liberties of Europe from the hands of the "Obtinate Nation" is a story that is well known to all. The story is a story of the British people, and of the British people's fight for the liberties of Europe. The story is a story of the British people, and of the British people's fight for the liberties of Europe.

Conditions in Food

Munition Factories Bad

Swedish Workmen Had to Escape Slavery by Stealth

A Swede last returned from his work in a German munition factory at Torgau with a most interesting story of the conditions in the factory. The conditions in the factory were very bad, and the workmen were treated very badly.

Our Matchless Allies

Protection of Bird Life of the Great Benefit to the Farmer

Whether or not one joins the new movement for the protection of bird life, it is a fact that the protection of bird life is of great benefit to the farmer. The protection of bird life is of great benefit to the farmer.

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